Allotment of petrol pumps to dependants of police personnel

4746. SHRI SURESH KALMADI :
SHRI SANTOSH BAGRODIA :

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a scheme for allotting petrol pumps, LPG and kerosene depots to dependants of deceased police and other agencies' personnel who have lost their lives while serving the country;

(b) if so, the details of such scheme and the number of allotments made to families of such deceased in the last three years;

(c) if not, the reasons therefor; and

(d) whether Government plan to include them in the same scheme as offered to deceased Army personnel since they have also laid down their lives serving the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI SANTOSH GANGWAR) : (a) to (d) Till the dissolution of all the Dealer Selection Boards (DSBs), after the deregulation of the Petroleum Sector with effect from 1-4-2002, 8% reservation was provided in the guidelines for the Police/Paramilitary/ Government Personnel (PMP) category.

The Government has earmarked a discretionary quota of dealerships/ distributorships for allotment, on genuine compassionate grounds, to deserving persons in the following categories:-

(i) Dependants of Defence/Paramilitary/Police personnel, who are killed in action or persons permanently disabled while performing their duties and have not been suitably rehabilitated;

(ii) Dependants of Central/State Government employees, who are killed or permanently disabled while performing their duties and have not been suitably rehabilitated.

Processing cost of petrol and diesel

†4747. SHRI RAJIV RANJAN SINGH 'LALAN' :
SHRI KAPIL SIBAL :

Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether any assessment has been made by Government regarding the processing cost for the production of petrol and diesel from crude oil;

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